

## 1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of  
3 the State of Illinois were saddened to learn of the death of  
4 Minnie B. Moss on Thursday, February 7, 2003; and

5 WHEREAS, Mrs. Moss attended Aggie High School and Coahoma  
6 Junior College; she financed her way through college and  
7 graduated from Mississippi Industrial College with a Bachelor  
8 of Science degree; and

9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Moss was active in the civil rights  
10 movement in the South where she grew up; she participated in  
11 student lunch counter sit-ins, marches, and voter  
12 registration initiatives; and

13 WHEREAS, Mrs. Moss led a distinguished professional  
14 career serving many years with Raytheon Corporation and  
15 Prudential Insurance; she was currently employed under  
16 Secretary of State Jessie White; and

17 WHEREAS, Mrs. Moss was active in her community, serving  
18 as a faithful volunteer with the Jackson Cougars softball  
19 team; she was a volunteer parent with Marshall High School  
20 Parent Athletic Program and was active in the 4800 Crystal  
21 block club for over twenty years; she was a member of St.  
22 Paul Lutheran Church where she served on the Education Board;  
23 and

24 WHEREAS, Mrs. Moss will be remembered as a loving mother,  
25 great aunt, and a caring sister; her passing has been deeply  
26 felt by many, especially her husband, Jackie; her sons,  
27 Kurttizz (Tracy), Marvin (Dawn), George, and Darius; her  
28 mother-in-law, Doris Perry (Elder Perry); her brother-in-law,  
29 Autrey; her sisters, Valarie, Edna, Diana (Terry), Jean  
30 (Charles), and Darlena (Walter); her brothers, Charlie  
31 (Birda), Jackson (Gladyes), and Johnnie; her uncles, James,

1 Joe Willie, Emanuel, Kurtiss, and Frank; her nieces, Dorthia,  
2 Onedia (Leroy), Necole, Tasha, and Shalanda; her nephews,  
3 Omarr, Philander, Johnnie, Joseph, Danny, Lamont, Charles,  
4 Marquis, and Walter; her eight great-nieces; her nine  
5 great-great-nephews; her four grandchildren; and her host of  
6 cousins and friends; therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
8 NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
9 we mourn the passing of Minnie B. Moss and extend to her  
10 family, friends, and all who loved her our deepest sympathy;  
11 and be it further

12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
13 presented to the family of Minnie B. Moss along with our  
14 sincerest condolences.